MMRF
YAAWWN...
SNIFF
TATAM!...
WHEN DID YOU GROW A BEARD?
PRINCE PAOLLO...
WORDS CANNOT EXPRESS HOW GOOD IT IS TO HEAR YOUR VOICE.
AAAAAAAAA

HE LIVES! PRINCE MULLET HAS RETURNED TO US!
WHAT, DID I DOZE OFF OR SOMETHING?
DOZED OFF? DOZED OFF?!
IT FEELS LIKE WE'VE SPENT YEARS TRACKING YOUR ROYAL BUTT ACROSS THESE STUPID ISLANDS!
Give him room to breathe you two! Sheesh!
We'll explain everything. Just-
I'M JUST GLAD WE'RE ALL TOGETHER AGAIN!
THERE WAS THIS GUY IN A BIG TREE-
BUT BEFORE THAT WE WERE HELD PRISONER BY SNOW-
STOP! YOU'RE TELLING IT WRONG!
SNIFF
WHUMP!

WHAT ARE THEY DOING NOW?
THEY'RE JUST SORT OF HUGGING IT OUT. IT'S PRETTY ADORABLE.
SIGH NOW I MISS SIMON. I HOPE HE'S DOING OKAY WITHOUT ME TO MAKE HIS LUNCHES.
YOU CAN MAKE HIM ALL THE LUNCHES YOU WANT, BUT FIRST YOU'VE GOT TO MAKE IT OUT OF HERE.
HOW ARE YOU FEELING AFTER MY HEALING MAGIC?
I'M NOT COUGHING... BUT I STILL FEEL SO SORE AND TIRED.
MY MAGIC HEALS, BUT IT CAN'T MAKE YOU YOUNG AGAIN. IF I COULD DO THAT, I WOULD.
URU, RAVEN'S BEEN CUT BAD. WE COULD USE YOUR SKILLS.
NO! WE DON'T! I AM PERFECTLY FINE, I JUST NEED A FEW BANDAGES AND-
NAW, NAW, ALL IT NEEDS IS A LITTLE... BIT...
SHLORP
SHLPP!
NICE APPLICATION TECHNIQUE, URU.
THANKS! I LIKE BEING HELPFUL.

Come on, Love.
EEP!
SNAP!
Your soul's right this way. Just keep walking.
GOOD THING YOU'RE HERE. A FEW MORE MINUTES AND SHE'D JUMP OUT OF MY-
BWORP!
Alice, can you hear me? Say something!
Show me you're really in there.
OOF!
WHUMP!
WHERE AM I? WHERE'S SNOW?
RILEY!

OH GREAT, I BROKE MY BOY FRIEND.
I DIDN'T REALIZE IT WAS YOU, LOVE! LET ME SEE.
OH! OH RILEY, I'M SORRY, I'M SO SORRY. PLEASE DON'T CRY! I'LL HELP TO FIX IT. JUST-
You're back... you're back!
I was so scared you'd left me forever!
WILD JABBERWOCKIES COULDN'T KEEP ME AWAY. NOW... WAIT A MOMENT...
SOMETHING'S POKING ME... WHAT?
BAWWW!

RILEY... THIS IS YOUR HEART STONE!
SNnkK
Alice, I... gads, I'm such a huge mess. I wanted this to be more romantic, but I just can't keep quiet anymore.
I know we're kind of in the middle of a battle between the forces of good and evil, but I've never been really scared. Not until I thought I'd lost you.
The past few days have felt like I was the one with my soul ripped out. I can't imagine a worse fate on this earth than being without you. I won't go through that again.
I love you, Alice. I've always loved you, and I will always love you, no matter what. Will you marry me?
RILEY, YOU BIG DOOF. NOW YOU'RE MAKING ME CRY.
YES! YES! OF COURSE I'LL MARRY YOU.

RAVEN? HEY, WHAT'S WRONG?
OH, YOU KNOW, I'M DESTINED TO BETRAY YOU AND EVERYONE ELSE I CARE ABOUT.
WHY ARE YOU EVEN ASKING? YOU HEARD WHAT I SAID. I'M SURPRISED YOU DIDN'T ABANDON ME BACK THERE WITH SNOW.
BUT YOU DIDN'T BETRAY US!
YOU LOOKED SNOW IN THE EYE AND TRICKED HIM! YOU SAVED US ALL!
BUT WHAT IF I WASN'T SUPPOSED TO?!

LET'S TALK ABOUT THIS OUTSIDE, SHALL WE?
LOOK. I KNOW HOW HARD IT CAN BE TO INTERPRET PROPHECIES. IF THAT'S EVEN WHAT DRAGONFLY'S WORDS WERE SUPPOSED TO BE.
BUT WHAT ELSE COULD HE HAVE MEANT?
WHO IS 'THE ONE WHO MADE ME'? IS IT THE RAVEN? IS IT YOU, OR BLITZ? OR EVEN ME?! WHY DIDN'T DRAGONFLY JUST TELL ME PLAINLY WHAT HE MEANT?!
I WISH THAT WIRED UP MAN IN A CAN HAD KEPT HIS WORDS TO HIMSELF, BECAUSE THEY'VE BROUGHT ME NOTHING BUT FEAR AND CONFUSION!
BUT WHAT IF IT DOES MEAN WHAT I FEAR IT MEANS? AND IF I DON'T BETRAY YOU, EVERYTHING YOU CARE ABOUT IS LOST?

I DON'T THINK THAT'S WHAT HE MEANT.
I DON'T KNOW DRAGONFLY. YET HE SEEMED TO KNOW ALL ABOUT US.
HE GAVE TUFF THE POWER TO TRANSFORM, WHICH HE USED TO SAVE PEOPLE'S LIVES.
I THINK HE EVEN KNEW WHAT BLITZ REALLY WAS, AND GAVE HIM JUST ENOUGH OF THAT POWER FOR US TO ESCAPE THE UNDERWORLD ALIVE.
HE KNEW THE SCENT OF THE GIRL RILEY WOULD FALL IN LOVE WITH.
HE GAVE SUCH STRANGE GIFTS, BUT THEY ALL CAME IN HANDY AT JUST THE MOMENT WHEN WE NEEDED THEM.
IF HE KNEW YOU THAT WELL, HE'D SEE YOU COULD NEVER BE A TRAITOR.

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Scrrrrch
Tik
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Scritch
Rtch
PINK!
CLINK!
PINK!
SKRRKK....SKRKK....
SPLOTCH!

Twitch!
Skitch
Skrkt
FLEX
FLIP!
CLICK!
Scritch...
Scritch...
Scritch...
CRACK!
SHLRP!
TO BE CONTINUED...
CLICK!